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TELEGRAPHIC

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A Colored Woman Sentenced to be Hanged for Infanticide

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HOUSE

WASHINGTON April 12—Consideration was resumed, in committee of the whole, of the legislative appropriation bills, the pending amendment being that of increasing to $5,000,000 the appropriation for controlling and restricting contagious diseases among domestic ated animals.

After a long debate the whole subject was stricken from the bill and the proposition agreed to, recommending the house to refer the whole matter to the committee on agriculture, with instructions to report promptly.

On motion of Mr Hooper an appropriation for investigating the habits of the cotton worm and other injurious insects was placed under control of the entomological commission.

The political portion of the bill having been reached it was passed over for the present.

Mr Young submitted an amendment providing an investigation of the committee under the southern claims. The committee shall give notice to claimants whose claims are to be investigated, of the place and time of taking testimony and who shall have the right to cross examine witnesses who may be presented by the claimants.

Mr Hank stated that he had acted as investigating agent and he knew of instances where he had been misled by ex-parte statements and had reported against claims which should have been allowed.

The amendment was agreed to.

Mr Bragg moved to strike out all provision for southern claims commission and to insert the clause repealing the law creating a commission.

The consideration of the amendment was postponed till Tuesday next, Mr Bragg stating it was a grave position and one which could not be properly discussed under the 5 minute rule, because he proposed to show that the government had been paying these claims as a mere gratuity and he thought that where a gratuity was to be bestowed it should be a personal matter and that congress should not vote to give away what belonged to the people at large. The committee rose and the chairman reported back the recommendation to refer the paragraph in regard to pleuro pneumonia in cattle, to the committee on agriculture, with instructions to report forthwith. Agreed to. Mr Harris offered a resolution instructing the committee on acts to report what committees are entitled to clerks. Adopted. Mr Hurlbut moved that when the house adjourn it be till Tuesday. The motion was understood to be made for the purpose of excluding the introduction of financial and other bills on Monday. The motion was rejected, yeas 105, nays 108. All the republicans voted in the affirmative and all the greenbackers in the negative as did all but eleven democrats. House adjourned, 111 to 91.

GENERAL NEWS.

Alleged Irregularities.

BOSTON, April 12.—The savings bank commissioners demand the removal of Isaac A Barnes, cashier of the Franklin savings bank, on the ground of irregular transactions. Barnes was appointed a not a year ago to take the place of Lux, as Cashier. Men are guarding the bank, Barnes having refused to surrender the keys of the safe.

Dissolved.

CHICAGO, April 12.—The Southwestern Rate association, which for over two years has successfully maintained a pool on business from Missouri river points to St Louis and Chicago, was formally dissolved to day because of the St Louis roads to allow the new extension of the Chicago & Alton road a portion of the business from Kansas City. The Chicago & Alton claimed its share of business, but the St Louis roads insisted that the claim was unjust and refused to consider it.

Crimes

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Louise A Wallace, colored, convicted of the murder of her infant child in April, 1878, was to day sentenced to be hanged.

Racing.

NEW ORLEANS, April 12.—This is the first day of the spring meeting of the new Louisiana jockey club. There was a good attendance. The weather was clear and pleasant, and the track in good condition.

The handicap, mile heats, was won by Verdigris, Cannon second, Jim Hinton last. Time: 1 53¾ 1 50.

The Pickwick stakes, for 3 year olds, mile heats was won by Gabriel, Buckshot 2d, Sam Hicks 3d. Time: 1 47 1 47¾.

The race for all ages, two miles, was won by Essilah, Judge Hancock 2d, Kingsland 3d. Time: 3:39¾.

Fires.

TOLEDO, O April 12.—A fire broke out in the chamber of commerce building at 12 30 p m to day, originating in the insulated cupola on the roof. Damage $5,000. Insured. The building was owned by W J Fearing and occupied by the Western Union Telegraph Company, Second National and Commercial banks, and law and insurance companies, most of which suffer considerable damage by water.

FOREIGN

Foreign Politics

BERLIN April 12.—Free trade comes to grief by a majority of 100 votes. It is doubtful if the new elections would give Bismarck a majority.

LONDON April 12.—The Times says the unofficial report published by the Saltan relative to the Khedive's liberal offer to take advantage of the proposed foreign joint expedition is manifestly premature. If a display of force be necessary in England might find it sufficient to call on securing a good government while France would be occupied with even greater energy in defining the claims of France and Italy. Palim Pasha the Khedive's uncle is well educated, enlightened, liberal minded and has lived for several years past in a European fashion on the Bosphorus.

Political Atrocities

ST PETERSBURG April 12.—A correspondent of the Spasborg Journal gives the following account of the outbreak among the political prisoners last month. The persons under arrest in the Kreffe prison resolved some time ago to tunnel under the walls and escape. The scheme which involved the name of the conspirators but the authorities allowed the prisoners to continue excavating. When the tunnel was completed and the prisoners had entered it one after another, in order to come up through the opening leading to the prison yard, soldiers previously posted at the opening, shot the escaping prisoners as they came up. When the bulk of the prisoners forced by the misuse of firing stopped and remained in the tunnel, soldiers were sent in from behind and the unfortunate wretches, caugh between two fires, were all shot down. The proceeding seemed to give the officials much amusement and the director of the Kreffe prison was then praised and decorated for having acted with such firmness and decision. The correspondent adds, quite in keeping with this is the statement published by the Russian chaplain in the Central prison in Charkoff, on official intelligence which states that of the five hundred detained in that prison, two hundred died within four months on account of brutal treatment, many dying and some being driven mad.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Horace Maynard, minister to Turkey, sailed yesterday.

Collector Woodcock of Nashville yesterday received information that an illicit distillery had been destroyed in Putnam county, and a number of arrests made.

Gen Richard Taylor of the confederate army died in New York yesterday. He had been ill for some weeks at the residence of S. M. L Barlow.

FOREIGN NOTES.

The Sultan, yielding to the urgent representation of the grand vizier, has recalled several exiles and ordered releases from prison.

By cable to Reuter, Yokohama, March 27. The Mikado at a banquet to the ministers, censured their extravagance and luxury. A notification from the prime minister gives the following order. To cease all superfluous expenditure in the development of commerce, to stop the expenditures on public works, and to reduce the emperor's household expenses.

WASHINGTON NEWS

At a well attended caucus of republican senators this evening there was an interchange of views concerning the course to be pursued by the minority of the senate in regard to the army appropriation bill. No formal action was taken, but it was agreed that every possible effort should be made to defeat the passage of the bill, in its present shape for reason, namely, that the enactment of the 6 h section would prevent the use of a posse comitatus on election days, and for the execution of civil process in any and all description issued by United States authorities. Several other provisions of the bill were also considered very objectionable and in need of essential amendment. Among them the clauses which prohibit appointments and promotions in the army until otherwise provided by law, while at the same time the bill holds out inducements for the creation of additional vacancies, providing that all officers hereafter retired by reason of wounds shall be retired upon the highest ranks respectively held by them in regular or volunteer service before retirement. A number of senators expressed their belief that the purpose of these provisions is to pave a way for the appointment into the army of the friends of the dominant party in congress. Although no propositions were formally adopted, several amendments to the 6th section, of which notice has been given in the senate, were spoken of with general favor especially those submitted by Senators Blaine and Paddock. From the tenor of remarks it seems probable that many speeches will be made upon the army appropriation bill.

Commercial and Monetary.

(By Telegraph)

New York, April 12

Gold—quiet

State Securities—dull

Currency Rates—1062

Governments—quiet except 4s which are weak

Clearings—not given

Money 4 @ 6 closing at 4

Borrowing Rates—flat and 5

Custom receipts—not given

Prime Mercantile paper—5@6 per cent

Assistant Treasurer's disbursements—not given

Railroad Bonds—active and strong with the principal activity and advance in Erie issues. Missouri, Kansas and Texas consols advanced, Missouri Kansas and Texas second, and R G first.

Sterling—quiet, sixty days, $4 86¾, sight, $4 87¾

Stocks—The market to-day was fairly active, but speculation decidedly irregular. The principal feature of the dealings was K P which has advanced from 22 to 25¾, closing at high st figures. In early dealings general list declined ¾@2. During afternoon North Western lines led the week and fell off 1¾ on common and ½ on preferred. The bears tried to depress the market and closing quotations declined ¼ to 1 per cent.

The following are the closing quotations

THE STOCK MARKET

COUPONS

Coupons '65, new	107¾	New 4½s reg	105¼@105¼
Coupons '67	105¾	New 4½s coup	105¼@105¼
Coupons '68		New 4s reg	99¾@99¾
Coupons '68 refunding		New 4s coup	99¾@99¾
Nevada	112	Tennessee 6s	102
New 4½s reg 105¼@105¼		Carolina 6s	102¾

STOCKS

W U Telegraph	106¼	N J Central	81
Pacific Mail	11½	Rock Island	111
Quicksilver pref	34	St Paul	42
Central Pacific	95¾	St Paul pref	
Morris & Essex	73	D L & W	95¾
Marietta & Cin pref	34	D L & W pref	
Adams Express	106	Del & Hud	100
Pacific Express	93¾	Del & Hud pref	
American Express	45	Terre Haute	
Wells Fargo Express	1¾	Terre Haute pref	
N Y Central	115	Chicago & Alton	
Erie	2½	C R I & P pref	
Erie pref	26	Illinois Central	111
Hartford	167	New Jersey Central	9
Hartford pref	32	A & Tel	3
Michigan Central	87¾	Missouri Pacific	14
Panama	135	St L & I M pref	3½
Union Pacific	72¾	Indiana Central	
Lake Shore	71¾	C B & Q	1
I C	85	St L & S F	14
C & P	91¾	C L Lands	1
Northwestern	125½	U P Bonds	102
Northwestern pref	91¾	U P Land Grants	75¾
C C C & I	45	U P Sinking Fund	113

STATE BONDS

Missouri 6s	104¾	Virginia new	51¾
Tennessee 6s, new	28	Virginia old	33¾
Tennessee 6s, old	34		

KANSAS CITY MARKET

KANSAS CITY April 12

FLOUR—unchanged

WHEAT active No 2 94 No 3 92

CORN—weak No. 2 mixed 27¾ rejected 26¾

OATS—No 2 at 26 bid

RYE—No 2 36 bid rejected, 34 bid

BUTTER—choice, firm 20 medium dull at 15

Eggs—weak at 9@10 cents

CATTLE—firm steers $3 50@4 85 cows 3 75 stockers and feeders 3 25@3 75

HOGS firm extreme range $3 15@3 35

SHEEP—receipts 900 shipments 584 steady native mutton, 50 of 4

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FOR RENT OR SALE.—Mrs. Mellen's residence at Manitou. Apply at this office 2 25 tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE Chickens for sale at Howbert's ranch 11

FOR SALE—Desirable city residence on North Weber street. Also 80 acres of fenced land one quarter of a mile south of Colorado City, partly under ditch. Enquire of R. M. Chambers. tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a lady's saddle pony (an Indian pony), well broken, kind and perfectly gentle. Enquire at Mr Doug lass', head of Pike's Peak Ave 4-10-4*

FOR SALE CHEAP. Several houses and lots, and vacant lots desirably located in Colorado Springs. By E A Colburn at County Judge's office, in Court House 4 9-10

FOR SALE—One full sized Brunswick Billiard table. Apply to CHAS STOCKBRIDGE 3-13tf

FOR SALE—Gillet's Baking Powder, wholesale and retail, by A D. Craigue and S Sessler 3-29-1m

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A first class fire and burglar proof safe. Apply at First National bank 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—Story and a half house, containing eight rooms, pantry and closets. Lot 100x190. Barn and stables on lot. Desirable location. Terms easy. Enquire of Lewis Hager 2-15-tf

WANTED

WANTED.—Boarding by a young gentleman in a private boarding house. Address Cincinnati, Gazette office. 11

WANTED—Teams to haul Lumber from Weir's & Husted's mills. Inquire at Crissey's lumber yard. 4 9 12

WANTED—A good cook and housemaid. Apply to Gazette office. 4 8 tf

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All that part of lots number seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) in block nine y one (91), town of Colorado Springs, described as follows, to wit. Commencing on south line of said lot seventeen (17) twenty five (25) feet east of the southwest corner thereof, running thence east fifty (50) feet, thence north fifty (50) feet, thence west fifty (50) feet; thence south fifty (50) feet to the point of beginning to secure the payment of their certain promissory note of fifteen hundred (1500) dollars, bearing even date therewith, and payable sixty days after date

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note and interest thereon, now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, I, J S. Wolfe trustee aforesaid, do hereby give notice that for the purpose of paying the said note and interest and costs arising therefrom, I will, on Wednesday, the twenty third day of April, 1879, at the hour of two o'clock p m, at the front door of the court house, in Colorado Springs, in said county, sell, for the highest and best price the premises will bring in cash. The proceeds of said sale will be applied in payment of said note, and interest and other charges provided for in said deed

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JOB WORK.

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Judge Belford was placed on the committee on Pacific railroads.

The 10-40 bonds which Secretary Sherman now proposes to fund have been issued to the amount of $196,000,000 and bear interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum. Funding these into 4 per cents will save the government $2,000,000 in interest annually. Secretary Sherman rather than delay the funding of these had better continue the present favorable rates for the sale of the four per cents.

Our mails are being tampered with on the line of the railroad. Letters of importance directed to anybody opposed to the Atchison, road are delayed from two to three days and some letters have been opened though showing evidence of having been securely sealed. This charge does not effect our postoffice as many of the letters are delivered to the postal agent at the depot. This is a very serious offense and should be vigorously punished. General Adams should give it his immediate attention.

The committees of the house were published in our yesterday's dispatches. They are substantially made up as they were in the last congress. The most significant change was in putting Bragg at the head of the committee on war claims. This may be considered a good move politically on account of Bragg's conservative [illegible] on rebel claims last winter, but his appointment must be received with great disgust by the ultra southerners. Cox has advanced to the head of the [illegible] committee, while Blackburn is given an important chairmanship, a very [illegible]

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Colonel Stong in his interview in the *Tribune*, which showed that he knew but little about the relations of the D. & R. G. and Atchison [illegible] stated that it was understood that after the lease all litigation respecting the grand canon was to cease. This has been taken up and repeated by all the Santa Fe organs. In the interview with General Palmer in yesterday's paper [illegible] has called to this glaring misstatement. Reference was made to certain affidavits as documentary evidence against Stong's claim. We did not have room for quotations from the documents. As the question is important, and the Atchison organs are continually making misstatements on the subject, we will quote from a few papers bearing on the subject.

1. Mr. Jos. D. Potts, one of the signers of the Potts-Schlesinger agreement, the first *important paper in the controversy*, said in his affidavit of March 11:

There was no settlement of existing litigation or disputes contemplated or intended by the plan, which was finally reduced to writing, and signed on October 4th, 1878, by Mr. Thomas Nickerson, for the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad company, by Mr. Joseph Nickerson, for the Pueblo and Arkansas Valley Railroad company, and by Mr. Schlesinger and myself for the Denver and Rio Grande Railway company.

2. Mr. Schlesinger, the other signer of the Potts-Schlesinger agreement, made affidavit of March 12:

I have read the above affidavit of Joseph D. Potts and know the contents thereof, and the same is true to the best of my knowledge: on the eleventh day of February, 1879, I received a letter from Mr. Thomas Nickerson, dated February 10th, 1879, of which I annex a true copy, marked "A," and I also annexed, marked "B," a copy of my answer thereto, dated February 15th, 1879, which answer contains correct statements of my true understanding and knowledge of the matter therein mentioned.

The paper marked "A" is the letter of Mr. Nickerson's publised in the *Tribune* of March 10, and the answer marked "B" was published in the *News* of Saturday and the GAZETTE of Saturday.

3. Thomas K. Lathrop, a counsel of the Denver and Rio Grande company, during the entire negotiation, in his affidavit of March 12, says:

I have read the affidavit of Joseph D. Potts, esq., made in this cause and dated March 11th, 1879, with relation to a memorandum, and it substantially conforms to my recollection of the matter.

And further on he says:

General Palmer instructed me at the outset of the business; that his purpose was to lease nothing but the constructed railroads of his company, and to reserve the right to extensions, &c. It was stated in the paper that the aggregate debts of the Denver and Rio Grande Railway company did not exceed $22,664 per mile of constructed road, while the fact that the debt did actually exceed this amount was also recognized, and it was provided that the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company should pay this excess. General Palmer distinctly told me that he relied on the rights and franchises reserved as something to enable his company to meet this obligation, and spoke [illegible] during the negotiations about the importance of reserving them for this purpose.

4. W. G. Russell who was also an attorney of the D. & R. G. company, in his affidavit of March 12, says he was each day in conference with General Palmer, his counsel, and the counsel of the Atchison *road, and that during one or more* interviews President Nickerson was present. He states that Mr. Russell's affidavit is true, and adds:

I know that the proposition was distinctly made and discussed in the course of the negotiations as to the form of the lease that it should embrace only the then constructed road of the Denver and Rio Grande Railway Company; and that it should not include the franchises of the said company for other roads or extensions.

5. The lease of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad company in granting clause conveys only "the railroad heretofore constructed and operated by that company," and describes it. It distinctly premises that "all rights and privileges other than these "(specified) were expressly reserved and exempted."

6. President Nickerson had no understanding that the litigation in regard to the canon was ended by the negotiation. In November he telegraphed General Palmer after all the papers had been signed about a fortnight and deposited in escrow, asking what was to be done about the suit. General Palmer replied that it *should go on* and that it was equally important to them as to the D. & R. G. to know their respective rights quickly. Mr. Nickerson answered by letter as follows: "I note your reasons for continuing the suit. I did not suppose there was going to be war after we had made peace, but you may be right."

Now we ask any candid person if the above does not show that there was no such understanding, but on the contrary that the suspension of litigation was guarded against in every step of the negotiations. The GAZETTE in its statement of facts has invariably confined itself to what can really be shown by documents. The Atchison organs prefer a different course.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.

The chaplain of the Alabama house of representatives is a colored man.

The Presbyterians contributed for various purposes last year an average of $4 60 per member.

There are over 67,000 Sunday schools in the country, with an aggregate attendance of 5,000,000 children.

New York city has 356 Protestant Sunday schools, and 62 under Roman Catholic and Jewish supervision.

The Rev. Edward Eggleston, the novel-writing minister, is said to be the best Sunday school superintendent in Brooklyn.

The clergy and laity of Louisville, Ky., are organizing a movement to suppress Sunday amusements and general Sabbath desecration.

There are now 3,620 Congregational churches in this country and 3,499 ministers. The churches have increased by 56 and the ministers by 90.

A church is very much needed at the Niobrara mission to the Indians, and it is proposed to collect funds to build one as a memorial to the late William Welch.

According to statistics the Baptist churches have had encouraging growth during the past year, increasing the membership of the churches by 77,810, giving a total membership of 2,102,034, as against 2,074,224 in 1878.

The *Methodist* favors the one year term and not in "extending the time," by abolishing triennialism, and let the pastoral term be one year; and let no one be sent back for any subsequent year unless, in the godly judgment of the presiding bishop, he is the fittest available man.

Among the English-speaking people of the world Episcopalians rank first in number, with 17,750,000; Methodists are next, with 14,000,000; and then come Roman Catholics, with 13,500,00; Presbyterians, with 10,000,000; Baptists, with 8,000,000; Congregationalists, with 7,000,- and Unitarians, with 1,000,000.

It is told of James Russell Lowell that when he was last in Rome he was met by a mendicant monk in the Corso one day and asked for a contribution to repair a monastery. "You should not ask me for aid, for I am a heretic," replied Lowell in choice Tuscan. "That makes no difference," rejoined the astute friar, "your money is orthodox." The poet appreciated the witticism and made the contribution.

Several workmen are, at present engaged in the erection of the grand marble altar in St. Patrick's new cathedral, on Fifth avenue, New York. It will cost when completed nearly a quarter of a million dollars. The altar and the interior of the cathedral will be finished ere the 25th of May, when the new edifice will be opened for public worship. Bishop Ryan, of St Louis, will probably preach the dedicatory sermon.

In 1818 thirteen men gathered together, thirteen prayers were said, and thirteen dollars subscribed for the commencement of a place of learning for those of the Baptist faith and then the thirteen men all went home. To-day Madison University, New York, owns all its buildings and one hundred and sixty acres of land, in a beautiful part of the country. It has a fine library, no debts, and between $400,000 and 500,000 drawing interest.

The Philadelphia Society of Friends is taking active steps towards the formation of settlements in the West, so as to bring together isolated members who were gradually losing interest in the principles and customs of their sect. It is intended to form an association which shall purchase tracts of land and sell farms and lots to Friends, or those in sympathy with them, and also to aid persons whose means are limited, with help in the erection of dwellings and other necessary things in their settlements. The association will lay out roads and erect meeting-houses and school buildings. In all deeds a clause will be inserted prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage.

The reception accorded by the Pope to seven hundred Roman Catholic journalists, and his address to them, have given rise to considerable local excitement in Italy. Replying, in Latin, to the deputation, he enforced the necessity of Roman Catholic newspapers as antidotes to Protestant journals, recommending moderation in tone in keeping with the sacred causes which they were called on to defend; gave an outline of the principles which they should vindicate, and made prominent among these the right of the Papal See to its civil prerogatives. He appears from the imperfect reports that have reached us, to have insisted that the real issue in Italy was between Republicanism and Ecclesiasticism, and that either the temporal power of the Pope must be restored or else that Italy will become republican.

Certain editions of the Bible, owing to the errors they contained, have received many odd names. What is known as the "Breeches Bible" (Geneva, 1560) was so called because Genesis iii:7 was translated: "They sewed fig leaves together and made themselves breeches," instead of "aprons" as in the English version now used. In the "Treacle Bible" (1568), Jeremiah viii:22 was made to read; "Is there no treacle in Gilead," etc., instead of "balm," and in 1600 the name was changed to "rosin;" "balm" was first used in 1611. The "Vinegar Bible," printed in Oxford in 1717 by Joseph Hasket, derives its name from the heading of Luke xx, which was made to read, "The parable of the vinegar." The book has many other errors from which it has often been called, after the printer's name, "A Basket of Errors." In 1631 a Bible was printed in England, and in 1732 another appeared in Germany, both of which made the seventh commandment read: "Thou shalt commit adultery," the word "not" being omitted. It has been very appropriately called the "Wicked Bible."

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the practice of ventilating, and all branches of the trade I thoroughly understand and personally can attend to. I guarantee the best material and proper workmanship in all cases.

J. H. DRINKWATER,

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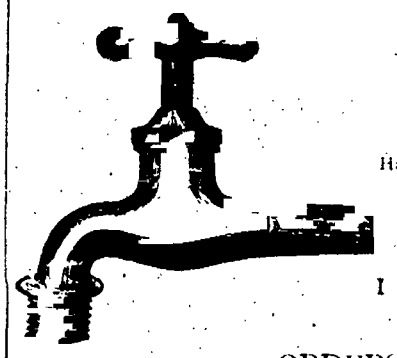

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I HAVE LEASED THE SHOP

Formerly Occupied by J. M. Somerville,

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Carriage Painting. Paper Hanging.

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Having had several years' experience as Foreman in the Painting Department of a first class carriage manufactory in the east, I feel confident of giving satisfaction in that specialty

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SUNDAY, MARCH 23 1879

What's in a Name?

A TALE ILLUSTRATIVE OF THE UTILITY OF TRYING TO LEARN ANYTHING

I

It was a gay young gentleman
A travelling in the West,
He came from where the sun does rise,
His money to invest
In mines that yield their million fours
All of the purest gold,
And had he lived thus to invest
This tale had not been told
But one sad day
Upon the way
He met a Western man,
And asked about the country
His troubles then began

II

"I'm going to the Silver mines
Down in the San Juan,
Are they pretty rich?" All blankly gazed
That honest Western man—
"There aint no place of such a name"
At last the miner said
Then the Eastern youth produced a map
The miner shook his head—
"You *are* a Tenderfoot," said he
"*You* are I'll swanny sa'n
Why stranger e'ln ate I folks
Calls that country the San Wan

III

"I'll change the subject" thought the youth
"How long before we pass
That village marked up in my map
As—yes Lake Ann?"
Is not that right?" The Western man
Then sternly answered, "No,
Folks what her farmin' speeks kerect,
An' sez Laws Animy"

IV

Pale grew the young man's south, soft cheek,
And gruesome grew his eye,
But still once more he strove to speak
He boldly tried to try—
"And shall I say Huerfano?
Speak,' once again he cried,
Whereat the booming engine screamed,
And the Western man replied
"You are the ignorantest pill
I ever see, I jee,
Folks as knows beans pernounce thet name
Jest simply Waffenny,"

V

Then wildly sobbed the Eastern man
"I'll get off at Ojo"
The miner mused with inward pain
And freely hissed "Oh!"

VI.

All in a swound
Upon the ground
The Eastern man did fall,
While for a cup of water pure
The Western man did call
Alas! no water there was there,
Such was their dreadful state—
For every soul upon that car
Did drink his whiskey straight
The train rolled on, at last the youth
Himself recovered,
And glancing at the time table,
This name discovered
"*Jonesville*" He struggled with the name;
"Hone," he said but "ville"
Stuck in his throat
The Western man saw the Eastern man
was ill

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XXI.

The dying traveller faltered,
His eyes were growing dim,
"Carve nothing on my tombstone," said he,
"But 'Little Jim'
I would not have the passer by
Fracture his Webster jaw,
And his maxillary muscles
Out of position draw
In striving to pronounce my name,
For sadly do know I
How 'tis myself, and of a name
Undoubtedly do die

XXII

The traveller turns upon his back,
And gracefully he dies

MORAL

Where ignorance is bliss 'tis folly to be wise.

Colorado Springs April, 1879

Prince Louis Napoleon

He has lived long in England, he likes field sports and all sorts of manly amusements and he thinks there is a good deal more fun at playing at cricket than at playing at Emperor He is one of the blessed many in that country (in other countries they count but a blessed few) who have a good appetite and digestion and no ideas I have written ideas with a capital letter because everything is that He is not in the least stupid, on the contrary he is very intelligent, but he is troubled with no enervating day dreams of a mission and of decisive action on the future of his race He is the typical young British subaltern of the best sort and nothing more He passed well at Woolwich, he was the life of the mess, and was as fond of skylarking as any other schoolboy This was the picture, the newer one must be drawn in gloomier colors He is beginning to feel the sadness and weariness of one who has left nature and freedom to return to the study of a long and wearisome part in a play With the exception of his Woolwich course he has been at that part all his days the father, an august Turveydrop, was a natural-born student of imperialistic deportment He lived for his arms, and posed for them as the readiest way of carrying them with the French He played his own character with an incessant vigilance against the surprises of nature worthy of all critical praise The mother was much the same by necessity As Empress it was her chief duty to do so nothing pretty every day. The strain or invention must have been greater than in the case of popular writers for the magazines, but but she had painstaking friend- *The Imperial infant* was the heir to these scenic responsibilities of the Imperial couple He had to crow to music, his innocence became a factor in politics He was not to be permitted to blink at the sun without a suggestion that he recognized it as that old friend of the family, the son of Austerlitz When he grew a little older and long before he was breeched he had to learn to stop his hoop in full career to return salutes, to give alms to beggars, to melt into tears at the sight of a wooden legged veteran— in short to behave not as a child of nature but as the child of France. A year or two more and we find him making sage remarks on his father's 'Life of Cæsar," in a kind of conversational supplement to the commentaries —duly reported in the loyal papers of the day He was indeed told to have depr[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [

THE COLORADO SPRINGS GAZETTE

SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 1879

Official Paper of the City of Colorado Springs.

TIME TABLE.

Denver and Rio Grande Railway.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.	TRAINS GOING NORTH.
Thro Freight	*Way Freight*
Arrive..... 8 20 P. M.	Arrive .....10 53 A. M.
Leave..... 8 55 P. M.	Leave .....11 35 A. M.
San Juan Express.	*San Juan Express.*
Arrive.....11:35 A. M.	Arrive..... .... 4 10 P. M.
Leave .....11:40 A. M.	Leave ..... 4 15 P. M.

Through Tickets for sale to all principal cities East at the depot Fare same from here as from Denver or Pueblo Parties can select their own route

For full information call on or address

J. M. ELLISON, Agent

Easter.

Lent is over.

Attend church to day and witness the annual display of new bonnets.

The train from the south was reported eight hours behind time last night.

Two houses in Pueblo were struck by lightning last night, and one person was killed and another wounded.

The *New Haven Register* says, "In the race for matrimony it isn't always the girl who covers the most laps that wins."

A gentleman of the Divide who is well-informed says the feeling there is very strong for a change in the railroad management.

Mr. E. E. Hooker, of Cincinnati, has rented the west half of the Arnold & Robbins new brick block, on Huerfano street, and will occupy the room on completion with a large stock of teas and groceries.

A private letter from Trinidad says the merchants there are entertaining a very bitter feeling toward the Atchison road, and are hoping that the Denver and Rio Grande will recover possession of their road.

Messrs Fessenden & Staubel are just making extensive improvements in their bath house. It has been thoroughly renovated and carpets have been specially ordered in the fall. When everything is completed, their shop will be one of the best in the state. Their large circle of patrons will be glad to read of these evidences of their prosperity.

The *Chieftain* says about sixty persons, interested in coal oil operations, left Western Pennsylvania Wednesday for Pueblo for the purpose of going into the oil business there This is much more encouraging than as though they came to find a silver mine. There is danger of good and productive industries in the state being neglected in this mad fever for gold and silver. May the oil wells be discovered.

Several couple of the young gentlemen and ladies of the city, last evening, assembled at the residence of the parents of Miss Louise Walker, with baskets well filled, for the purpose of having a surprise party. Music and other amusements were the order of the evening, and all enjoyed themselves till a late hour, when they parted, hoping that such surprises might be of frequent occurrence.

Speaking of the coming annual meeting of the State Press Association in this city in July the Denver *News* says: "Among the interesting features of the annual meeting will be an address by Hon. William N Byers, the father of Colorado journalism, a poem by William E. Pabor, valedictory of the retiring president, Mr. W. B. Vickers, and remarks by a number of the old-time editors who will be invited to a discussion of Mr. Byers' reminiscences of early journalism in Colorado." We heartily commend the action of the executive committee in obtaining the services of Mr. Byers in the place of Amos Bixby, resigned No journalist in the state can give so valuable an historical address on Colorado journalism as he. The people of this city will be prepared to add materially to this programme before the meeting of the convention.

Personal.

Mr. E. B. Lee, traveling salesman for Rickard, is at the Springs hotel.

Right Rev. Bishop Spalding, of Denver, is in the city, a guest at the National.

E. H. Foote, a traveling salesman from Boston, is stopping at the Colorado Springs hotel.

Mr. Thomas Hooker and family, who have been spending the winter in this city, went east on Friday. Mr. Hooker expects soon to return and build.

Daily Abstract of Meteorological Record of Colorado College, Colorado Springs.

FOR APRIL 12, 1879.

Highest barometer, 29 929 inches, 7 a. m.
Lowest barometer, 29 760 in. 9 p. m.
Range .163 inches
Mean barometer, 29 825 inches.
Highest thermometer, 53°.
Lowest thermometer, 37°.
Range of thermometer, 16°.
Mean thermometer, 42° 9
Wind Prevailing direction, N.
Mean humidity, 62 per cent. of saturation.

OZONE.

7 o'clock a. m. 1; 2 p. m. 1; 9 p. m. 6.

R.

DOWN IN A GOLD MINE.

A Visit to the Famous "Bobtail" Mine at Black Hawk.

Ten Hundred and Fifty Feet Under Ground.

While spending a few days in Central lately, a friend said to us: "Have you visited any of our mines?" We replied that we had not, at the same time expressing a desire to do so provided some one accompanied us who was experienced in such undertakings Being assured that we might rely upon good guides we made our arrangements to visit the "Bobtail" tunnel and mine on the following morning. Fortifying ourselves with a good breakfast we took a carriage at 9 o'clock and started immediately for Black Hawk. Fortune favored us in securing for our conductors Mr. J. P. Waterman, of the Central *Register-Call*, and Mr. E. Clinton, one of the proprietors of the celebrated Gunnell mine. The road from Central to Black Hawk it would be difficult to describe. In the first place it is about the width of one our alleys, and is "built down hill." Another characteristic is its roughness, the street commissioner having sadly neglected it. The two cities are what might be called continuous and we were surprised after riding about a mile at being informed that we were at the "Bobtail."

We looked about us for the mine, but could only see a long low shed apparently filled with ore, with which numerous wagons were being loaded. Following in the footsteps of our conductors we alighted and proceeding to the office of the mine, found the superintendent, Mr. A. N. Rogers, who kindly granted us permission to visit the mine. Before starting we donned some old clothes, as we were assured that the mine was not the cleanest place in the world. From the office we proceeded into the before-mentioned shed and there we saw the mouth of the tunnel. Having been provided with candles we lit them and proceeded on our "journey to the center of the earth." The tunnel, which we should judge to be about 8x10, is provided with a good plank walk, which lies between the rails over which the cars of ore are drawn by mules. At first it was groping business, but our eyes soon getting accustomed to the darkness, we managed by the aid of our candles to make good progress. At irregular intervals we came to two or three cross-cut tunnels which, not being in use, had been boarded up. When about half the distance had been made, a sound like thunder low and rumbling reached our ears. We tenderfeet held our breath and glanced back, and peered into the darkness ahead, in vain attempting to discern the cause Louder and louder it grew, and just as we were making up our minds that the world was coming to an end we reached a wider portion of the tunnel where our conductors suggested, "we wait until the car goes by." What a breath of relief we drew when we knew it was only a car. Presently around a curve in the tunnel we saw a man approaching us and by the dim light of a candle which he carried in his hand, we saw a sober, sleepy mule following close at his heels and hauling the car. As it passed us we proceeded on our journey. Shortly after we reached the end of the tunnel, having traveled a distance of 1,150 feet. Here we found considerable activity, nearly all of the machinery of the mine being at this point.

From a pamphlet on "The Gold Mines of Gilpin County" we take the following description of the machinery:

It consists of two large boilers, which supply steam for the hoisting machinery, pump and air compressor. The smokestack is built through a shaft and is 520 feet high, 250 feet of it being a three-feet-square brick stack, and the remainder an iron stack two and a half feet in diameter. The hoisting machinery for the cage is as substantial as wood and iron could make it. The two drums are seven feet in diameter. Upon these are wound the flat steel wire ropes, of English manufacture, three inches in width and half an inch in thickness, with breaking strain of fifty tons, which are attached to the cages.

We spent a few moments in examining this ponderous machinery and then turned our attention to the shaft. In response to our "Where is it?" we were told to look over into what we at first took for a coal box. We looked, as it were, into a deep well. Far below us we could see what seemed two little stars, but were in reality candles burning, five hundred feet below us. In a moment the great engine started and the iron rope, to which was attached the "cage," began to wind itself on to the immense "drum." Keeping our eyes fixed upon the lights, which were on the ascending cage, we saw them grow brighter and brighter till at last we could discern the forms of the miners who were coming up. Presently they reach our level and pushing a loaded ore-car out of the cage the engineer informed us that the cage was at our disposal. With some trepidation we took our places in the cage and with a "don't be afraid, I'll let you down slow," from the friendly engineer, we commenced our downward trip. Have you ever fallen off the roof of a high building, reader? If so, you have an adequate idea of the sensation one experiences on first descending a shaft. It gave us an idea of "treading on air," and as "H. H." puts it, "It felt like being lowered by the hair of one's head." Just as we began to imagine that we were going through to China, we stopped with a jerk and found ourselves at the mouth of a level, 500 feet below our starting point. Here was an opening of good size, and stepping into it from the cage, we were met by a party of miners, who stared at us in amazement, as it is very seldom that visitors visit this, the lowest level of the mine. Snuffing our candles, we were "taken in tow" by the foreman of the level who assayed the task of showing us around. We entered a narrow gallery, 3 by 8, and in Indian file attempted to keep up with our guide. The foot path is composed of single planks, about a foot in width, on each side of which is a little trench filled with water In our futile efforts to "keep up," about every third step was a misstep, and the consequences were very damp feet We finally reached the pumping engines, which we stopped to examine. The pump is the invention of Mr. Rogers, the superintendent, and has a capacity of 300 gallons per minute. While intent upon examining it our head came in contact with an ore bucket which was being lowered from the fourth level. By making a rapid movement we saved ouself from being "floored," but managed thereafter to to keep our eyes on things above. We continued our walk and soon experienced a tremendous rain storm, due, we were informed, to a "leaky roof." At the same time our ears were greeted with a deafening report, a fitting accompaniment for our rain storm we think. A second and third report followed in quick succession, and while our mind was filled with thoughts of judgment day, subterranean thunder, earthquake, etc., etc., the guide turned to us and said, "Wasn't frightened, was you? It was only a blast? Thus reassured, we bade our trembling hearts be still. Our lungs were soon filled with powder smoke so we concluded to retrace our steps, and in a few minutes we were at the shaft again. Our guide signalled the engineer to send down an empty cage, which soon appeared, and in a very short time we stopped at the opening to the fourth level, one hundred feet from the bottom. Here we again left the cage and continued our observations. This level we found to be comparatively free from water, but a fine white dust, which covered everything, soon settled upon us, giving us the appearance of "Jolly Millers." The roofs of most of the levels are made of heavy logs, in order that the upper portion of the vein may be worked. While walking along under one of these roofs a tremendous crash was heard directly above us, and for a moment we thought it was "kingdom come" with us, but when we found, after a moment's pause, that we were still safe, we concluded that it was merely a "dump" from a higher level, which proved to be the case. Several wells attracted our attention. These are small shafts between the levels, which are used in hoisting ore in buckets. We finally reached the shaft again and entering the cage were hoisted to the tunnel level where we turned our faces once more toward daylight.

This mine was discovered in 1859, and has been worked, we believe, ever since The Bobtail tunnel was completed in 1872 It cuts the mine at about 500 feet in depth and 1150 from the mouth. The main shaft is now 500 feet below the tunnel, or 1050 below the surface. Up to 18,6 its production had been about $3,500,000. The facilities for working have been greatly increased of late and its present output is in the neighborhood of $500,000 per year. The mine employs a force of 200 men at present Half of these work day shifts, and the balance night shifts. It is one of the principal mines of the district, and its future prospects are good.

Church Notices.

PRESBYTERIAN — Rev. T. C Kirkwood, of Fond du Lac, Wis, will preach to day. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 30 p m

Sunday school at 3 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL Rev. R. T. Cross, pastor No church services to day.

Sunday school at 12 15 p. m. in the Cumberland Presbyterian church.

GRACE (Episcopal)—Rev J. F. Walker, rector. Morning service at 11 o'clock. No evening service.

Sunday school at 3 p. m.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN No pastor at present.

Sunday school at 9.30 a. m. J. H. Woodgate, superintendent.

METHODIST—Rev. J. A. Stayt, pastor.

Rev. C. S. Ryman will preach at 11 a. m. The pastor's address at 7.30 p. m. will be on "Our Kingdoms."

Sunday school at 9 30 a. m.

Young people's prayer meeting at the parsonage at 6.30 o'clock p. m.

METHODIST (Colored) Rev. A.W. Ramsey, pastor. Preaching at 11 a m and 7 30 p m

Sunday school at 3 p. m.

CATHOLIC—Rev. F. Bender, rector. Morning services at 10 15; Sunday school at 2 30 p. m; vespers at 3

UNITY CHAPEL—Rev. E R. Wood, pastor. Service at 11 a. m. and 7 30 p m

In the evening Mr Wood will deliver the seventh of his miscellaneous course of lectures. Subject: "The lesson of the Battle of Bethhoron or the standing still of the Sun and Moon at the request of Joshua."

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 30 p. m. Preaching by Elder F. H Thornton

BAPTIST—Preaching both morning and evening by Rev Jas. Goodman, pastor.

Sunday school at 12:05 p m.

The slight fall of rain last evening was very beneficial.

OAK CREEK.

New and Very Promising Discoveries.

The New Town of Galena City—Its Location and Prospects.

The recent discoveries which have been made in the Oak Creek district have created no little stir in mining circles, especially in this vicinity. For this reason we have given the subject considerable attention and have published from time to time various accounts regarding it, which we deemed reliable. In a conversation yesterday with Mr. Thos Atchison, who had just come up from the camp, we ascertained some new points which we give as items of interest.

On Saturday, the 5th inst, at a point one and a half miles from the "Silver Queen" (Shepherd's mine), a Mr. Nelson discovered a lead which he has named the Aplex. An assay was made of the mineral which showed it to contain $40 60 in silver, $2 00 in gold and $12 50 in copper per ton. The work of sinking a shaft was commenced immediately and the mineral seems to grow richer as the shaft grows deeper.

In a recent issue we spoke of carbonates having been discovered at a depth of 17 feet in the Slip Up mine, which first assayed 44 ounces. Since that the shaft has been sunk two feet deeper and a recent assay of mineral taken from that depth gives 96 ounces. We were shown the assay papers and know them to be reliable

A man, whose name our informant did not know, went into the camp last week, prospected for a few hours, struck a lead and after working it for an hour and a half sold it for $50. Mr. Atchison will vouch for the truth of this statement. At present there are between twenty and thirty prospects being worked, all of which are looking extremely well. Twenty five ounces is the lowest assay which has been made. A party brought to the assay office a few days ago some mineral which he left to be assayed. Mr Atchison happened into the office just after the assay had been finished and was informed that it ran 2,200 ounces to the ton. The button he describes as "being as large as a buckshot."

Galena City is the name of a new town which has been laid off near the Silver Queen. We understand that lumber is already on the ground for the building of a hotel and grocery store. There is also a good blacksmith shop, three or four houses and an assay office already on the ground. Mr. Grose, an experienced assayer, has located there, and after a careful examination of the camp expresses the belief that its prospects are very good Lots in the new town will be placed on the market within a day or two.

There are at least one hundred and fifty, and probably two hundred, people in the camp at the present time. Others would go in were there any accommodations for them. It is a noticeable fact, and one that speaks well for the camp, that those who have gone in have remained. None have grown discouraged, but all are working like beavers, satisfied that there are "millions in it"

The citizens of Silver Cliff are very desirous of including this district in the Silver Cliff district.

SILVER CLIFF.

Considerable machinery will soon be in operation in Silver Cliff. Two smelters and two saw mills are on the way to that point at present.

Allen & Co. took a claim in the carbonate beds at the time it was first discovered and since that time they have been engaged in sinking a shaft. They have recently reached a depth of 85 feet when they struck a lead of galena ore which assayed 40 ounces of silver and will probably carry 40 per cent. of lead.

Things here are booming. Building is going on in all directions and the prospects are that it will be a livelier camp than ever this summer. New and rich discoveries have recently been made in the vicinity and we are inclined to believe in its future.

A Card.

To the Editor of the Gazette:

Will you allow me space to state:

First. I am not the author of the recent letter to the *Chieftain*, as charged in your columns of recent date. I never wrote or suggested a line for that paper in my life.

Second. I am not the author of the dispatch to the *Tribune*, nor have I conveyed, by telegraph, letter or otherwise, any information for that journal.

Third. The *scene*, as described in your paper of this morning, never occurred at the depot or elsewhere, though I can see no unpardonable sin in using the term OUR, had it so occurred.

Fourth. Mr. Geo. W. Sharpless, and not myself, is the confidential agent of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe at this station, through whom all orders are issued.

Exactly what my personal has to do with this controversy between the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe and the Denver and Rio Grande, I do not see. To the best of my ability I do my duty to my employers and try to give courteous answers to all questions relative to the road.

But my purpose is not to criticise your editorial course, only to set you right on a few points where you have evidently got off wrong.

W. A. CONANT.

The R. E. Lee Mining Suit.

Messrs Howbert and others, defendants in this suit, filed an answer to the complaint of Simpson and Wolcott yesterday, and Judge Bowen is now considering whether he will make the temporary injunction permanent.

The complaint filed by the counsel for the plaintiffs on Friday alleged that they received the title from Belt, Dexter & Knight; that Belt, Dexter & Knight gave Howbert and others a bond for the conveyance of the mine to them on the 18th of November, when $2,000 were paid, and that the remaining $5,000 was to be paid on the 18th of February, when a deed would be given They claim that on the 18th of February Belt and others offered a duly executed deed and demanded the $5 000. This was refused by Howbert and others who kept and worked the mine. It was also stated that Howbert had agreed to re deliver the mine to the original owners in case of failure to fulfill then part of the contract. They therefore demand the mine back, and damages for the failure to pay the $5,000 And pending the decision, ask for an injunction to stop present possessors from taking out ore.

The defendants in their answer filed yesterday set forth that they bought the mine on the 18th of November and entered into immediate possession with the permission of Belt, Knight and Dexter They paid $2 000 down and took a bond from Belt, Knight & Dexter, who agreed to give a good and sufficient deed of warranty with a clear and undisputed title to the defendants on or before the 18th of February when the $5,000 should be paid. In January the defendants offered to pay the $5 000 and asked for the deed, but Belt, Knight & Dexter refused to accept the money. After the defendants made this offer, and before February 18 Lee & Stockbridge commence a suit for a half interest in the mine Before the 18th of February a deed had been left at the First National Bank in this city. On the 18th of February Belt went to the bank Howbert said the money was ready whenever Belt and the others would give a good title to the mine. Belt representing the others, then said they could not give such a deed on account of the Lee-Stockbridge suit, but that they would make short work of that suit. Belt said they didn't ask for payment until this suit was settled It was then agreed that the payment of the $5 000 should be deferred until a good title could be given, and meanwhile that the defendants should employ counsel to assist in defending the suit The answer further states that after this agreement the defendants continued working the mine with the knowledge and consent of Belt, Knight and Dexter, spending large sums in development with no returns. On the 28th of March paying mineral was struck, and on the 29th the defendants were requested to give up the mine to Belt, Knight & Dexter The defendants claim that they have always been ready and willing to fulfil their part of the contract, and that the suit was commenced to defraud the defendants, and ask that the request for an injunction be not granted.

A large number of affidavits, on both side, were submitted, setting forth the above facts.

Hotel Arrivals.

CENTRAL.—E W R Colton, Fairplay, J M Brooks, Divide; C H Cobb, ranch; L Byrne, Fairplay; N A Manly, ranch; Abel Ackmire, ranch, M A Randolph, Philadelphia; Geo W Palmer, Leadville.

COLORADO SPRINGS.—E H Foote, Boston; Geo M Anderson, S. Louis; G D Nock, Louisville, Ky; Mrs. R H Hayes and daughter, West Chester, Pa; H Wane, Highland Meadow; Chas H Fenn, Chico Brakes; M C Hutchinson, Douglass, Mich

PASCOE'S.—b Terry, Denver, H H Cooper, Pueblo; Geo Bunard Dodge City, Kansas; A Ericson, Manitou; O Goodenow; Maquoketa, Iowa; M C Hutchison, Douglass, Mich; A T Bach'y, Monument; Will L Elliott, Manitou, F L Walter, Leadville; J W Decker Denver, F R Bissell, Denver; F Ackerman, Cincinnati, O; Horace Waters, Denver.

Business Locals.

Ten cents per line for first insertion five cents per line for each subsequent insertion Advertisements to go in every other day, or on certain days of the week only, ten cents per line for each insertion.

NOTICE.

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HENRY MCALLISTER, JR., Executive Director.

3-25tf.

Having now on hand a lot of Boots and Shoes which I wish to close out before moving my stock I will sell the same 25 per cent cheaper than the cheapest.

3 26 tf D. W. ROBBINS.

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Everything in my store will be sold extra cheap from now until I move into my new building. Come and get bargains while they are to be had

3 26 tf D. W. ROBBINS.

If you want room or cornice mouldings we have them L. P. HOWBERT & CO. 4-10-tf

IRRIGATE YOUR RANCH

While wearing Woodgate & Hundley's rubber boots. They don't leak 3 19 tf.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS!

The oyster season isn't over yet. You can get a nice can or stew at General Harris' central market.

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Call and examine the immense stock of mouldings just received at L P. Howbert & Co.'s. Pictures framed to order. 4 8 tf

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Mrs. Thornburgh, 4th door above post office, Colorado Springs, is in receipt of a full line of Hats and Bonnets, trimmed and untrimmed, Flowers, Feathers, Satins, Silks, and Ribbons of latest and best styles which she will offer at the lowest possible prices. 4.10 4.

Don't fail to examine Brown's new stock of wall papers and window shades. 2-14tf.

S. B Westerfield & Co have just received a choice line of Brussels and Ingrain carpeting. 4-10-6.

Bring on your pictures and get them framed at L. P. Howbert & Co.'s. 4-10 tf

Miss S. A Vance, Tejon street, opposite postoffice, will open on Thursday, April 10th, a new and elegant stock of millinery. Ladies of Colorado Springs and vicinity are invited to call and examine it. 4-6-7t

T. A. HAY.

The practical Blacksmith and Horseshoer, fine stock a specialty Iron clad shop on burnt district, Huerfano street. 2 06tf.

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NOTICE.

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Carpenter's new mining code at E. P. Howbert & Co's 4 8 tf

GO AND SEE

Those fine calf men's hand sewed shoes at Woodgate & Hundley's. 3 19 tf

Gillet's Baking Powder, pure and good. 3-29-1m

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Are open late and early and all the time. Can get your boots at any time. 3 19 tf.

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Call and see the new stock of Carpets, Oil cloths and Rugs, at S. B. Westerfield & Co.'s Furniture Store. 4-10-6.

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